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1. The reply filed on 8 Jan 2004 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s):

a. The sectional views on Figs. 4, 6, 9 (views 5, 8, 10) were also incorrect and applicant has not provided any replacement drawings.

b. The amended Fig. 2 has changed various features in an incorrect manner, which represents new matter (e.g. the bearings, spring and rod around shaft 110 and the cross section of the disk 112).

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2. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Eric Keasel whose telephone number is (703) 308-6260. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Thursday.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Gene Mancene can be reached on (703) 308-2696. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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